



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Attn: BOX RCE**  
Isao NAKATANI : Docket No. 2001-0701A  
Serial No. 09/857,258 : Group Art Unit 1765  
Filed September 14, 2001 : Examiner Lan Vinh  
DRY ETCHING : **Confirmation No. 3393**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.**

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a two month extension of time to file the Appeal Brief.

The fee of \$420.00 is

- ☒ submitted herewith.  
☐ to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.  
☐ Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which  
☐ is enclosed.  
☐ has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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